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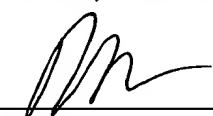
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Reference

Tamime, A., et al., "The Quality of Processed Cheese  
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